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Trail Ride Will Raise Money for Diabetes Education and Scholarships

The Diabetes Center Foundation, in conjunction with South Central District Health, Southern Idaho Draft Horse and Mule Association, St. Benedict's Family Medical Center, Magic Valley Regional Medical Center, Lafferty Construction, and Robert Durham Excavating are pleased to announce that the "Third Annual Trail Ride for Diabetes" will take place at Porcupine Springs in the South Hills on Saturday and Sunday, June 18 and 19. Events begin at Noon on June 18 with registration starting at 11 a.m. Registration for June 19 starts at 8 a.m. and events conclude at Noon.

Registration fees are \$25 for one day and \$35 for both days for adults. Fees for children age 12 and under are \$10 for one day and \$15 for both days. A person rides for free if they raise \$100 in pledges. Events include guided or individual trail rides, horse or mule drawn wagon rides, entertainment, campfire singing and storytelling, continental breakfast, a cowboy church service on Sunday, a Dutch oven dessert contest, auction, and much more. Lunch and dinner are provided on Saturday, along with a Sunday morning breakfast. On Saturday night, Allen Laudert will be cooking a pork dinner with Dutch oven bread, potatoes, and vegetables.

The Diabetes Center Foundation was established in 1993 to help local residents with diabetes through monthly support groups and annual seminars. The Foundation is comprised of volunteers who strive to educate as many people with diabetes as possible. Funds raised from the trail ride will provide scholarships for children to attend diabetes camps, provide college scholarships, offer annual diabetes seminars, offer gestational diabetes education, and provide diabetes education for health care professionals.

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